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THURSDAY EVENING, JULY 3, 1879.

THE FETE OF THE PARIS OPERA.—The fete of the opera, or rather that of the Figaro, given for the benefit of the Hungarian sufferers, took place last Saturday. It was a great pecuniary success, some \$50,000 having been netted for the cause. The external decorations of the Opera House were very pretty, a calcium light having been placed within the point of the heavy cornice of the facade, so as to throw a vivid airy radiance on the crowning group of the edifice—Apollo with Terpsichore and Euterpe. Thus illuminated, the graceful forms stood out against the dusky sky with a very charming effect. Every window in the vast edifice was ablaze with lights, while around it the Jablokoff lamps flooded the night with their moonlight lustre. Within, the crowd was prodigious, in spite of the high prices charged for tickets. The amusements of the evening comprised a concert, led by the leading musicians of Paris, a faro, a dance, and a ball. The ball, which was a fancy fair at which the saleswomen were the prettiest actresses of the day, and, finally, a lottery and auction sale. At the latter, a drawing by Boldini went for \$320, and a sketch by Vibert for \$600.

The Prince of Wales was present and made numerous purchases, scattering his gold about with his usual lavish good nature. Yet, taken altogether, the fete cannot be pronounced a social success. The "upper ten," so far as the female element was concerned, was chiefly noticeable by its absence, and the "lower million," as represented by the demi-monde, had all the evening, "checking mixed," and at the fete of the Opera the other night, I am told, remarked a gentleman to a friend at the Grand Prix the next day, "Mixed! not at all," was the reply; "the company was all of one sort."—*Paris Cor. Phila. Tel.*

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